

<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 10/027,740	<b>Applicant(s)</b> VANDERLAAN ET AL.	
	<b>Examiner</b> Frank I Choi	<b>Art Unit</b> 1616	

**All Participants:**

(1) Frank I Choi.

(2) Karen Harding.

**Status of Application:** Non-Final Action mailed

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(4) \_\_\_\_\_.

**Date of Interview:** 28 September 2004

**Time:** n/a

**Type of Interview:**

- ☒ Telephonic  
☐ Video Conference  
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**

Rejection(s) discussed:

*n/a*

Claims discussed:

*n/a*

Prior art documents discussed:

*n/a*

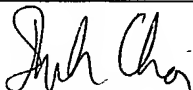
**Part II.**

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

*See Continuation Sheet*

**Part III.**

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.



(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Applicant's representative indicated that she had sent a response by fax to the Official Fax number on 6/25/2004 but indicated that she does not have proof that the Office received said fax. Examiner indicated that since there is no record indicating that the Office received said fax and Applicant does not have a confirmation fax indicating receipt of the response by the Office, a notice of abandonment would be sent out. Examiner noted that a petition to revive could then be filed.

Although not discussed, Examiner notes that if appropriate, a petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment can be filed which if granted would avoid the need to file a petition to revive (See MPEP Section 711.03(c) [R-2] Petitions Relating to Abandonment)..